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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Peter R. Horsfall

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For: ELECTRONIC TRADING SYSTEM

Examiner: O. Akintola

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed February 28, 2007, Applicant hereby elects, without traverse, Group I, claims 1-10, 13-17 and 21-22 for continued examination. Applicant notes that in a March 6, 2007 telephone interview with the undersigned, Examiner Akintola confirmed that claim 14 should have been listed with Group I in the Office Action. Examiner Akintola stated that claim 14 will be examined with Group I.

An early and favorable action on the merits is respectfully requested.

Dated: June 21, 2007

Respectfully submitted,

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